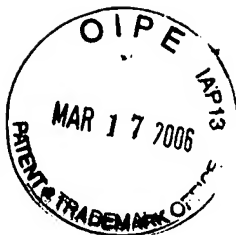


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Serial No.: 10/826,263

Examiner: Jimmy NGUYEN

Filing Date: April 19, 2004

Group Art Unit: 2829

Title: A DEVICE USING A DETECTION CIRCUIT TO DETERMINE WHETHER AN OUTPUT
CURRENT THEREOF IS SOURCE-INDUCED OR LOAD-INDUCED, AND METHOD
THEREOF

COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS
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TRANSMITTAL LETTER FOR RESPONSE/AMENDMENT

Sir:

Transmitted herewith is/are the following in the above-identified application:

- ☒ Response/Amendment ☐ Petition to extend time to respond
☐ New fee as calculated below ☐ Supplemental Declaration
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☐ Other: (Fee \$)

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OTHER FEES						\$ 0
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Respectfully submitted,

James B. McKIM, Jr.

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Sir:

This is in response to the Office Action mailed December 23, 2005, and having a period for response set to expire on March 23, 2005.

The following amendments and remarks are respectfully submitted. Reconsideration of the claims is respectfully requested.